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Ignited Mind Award

Nurturing Compassion Kindling The Kalam Within Self



Young Kalams (L-R): Krish (AIS Vas 6), Himanshu (AIS Saket), Shreya Devgan and Avni (AIS Noida)

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Four Amityans from Amity Group of Schools shone bright at Dr APJ Abdul Kalam Ignited Mind Children Creativity and Innovation Award competition, the results for which were declared on October 15, 2021. The competition of student's innovative and creative ideas to solve societal and grassroots problems was jointly organised by the Honey Bee Network, SRISTI, and GIAN as a tribute to Dr APJ Abdul Kalam. The stellar victory was registered under the visionary guidance of Dr (Mrs) Amita Chauhan, Chairperson, Amity Group of Schools and RBEF. The competition had

received around 4200 innovative ideas in the form of project write-ups from students in 24 states of India through online and offline media. Eminent jury of the award selected 20 finalists (8 awardees and 12 appreciation recipients) out of which 4 were bagged by Amityans (2 awards and 2 appreciations.)

Krish from Class XI of AIS Vas 6 won the award for his write-up on the topic 'Exclusionary nature of virtual learning for children with special needs'. Avni from Class IX of AIS Noida won the award for her write-up on the topic 'Accessibility of the internet for the visually challenged and disabled'. The appreciations were bagged by Shreya Devgan

from Class XII of AIS Noida and Himanshu from Class XI of AIS Saket. Shreya bagged it for her write-up on the topic 'Solving the problem of lack of organ, tissue (skin/eye) donation, rebuilding the lives of acid attack victims in India' and Himanshu bagged it for his write-up on 'Weed detection mechanism using data pre-processing'. Students from four branches of Amity Group of Schools had sent a total of 31 projects in the competition.

About the Award

Instituted in the memory of Dr APJ Abdul Kalam, the annual competition asks for written ideas from students up to

Class XII and also from school dropouts up-to 19 years of age. This award aims to inculcate the culture of 'Samvedna' or compassion among young minds to find solutions to local problems, thus addressing unmet social needs. The core idea of the competition is to make children aware of the problems and hardships faced by common people, mostly less-privileged in their day-to-day lives with which many of them have learned to adjust, adopt and live with. If children start becoming impatient with social inertia at an early age, it is likely that they will herald more creative and compassionate changes in the society as they grow up.



Students participate with fervour in the annual quiz

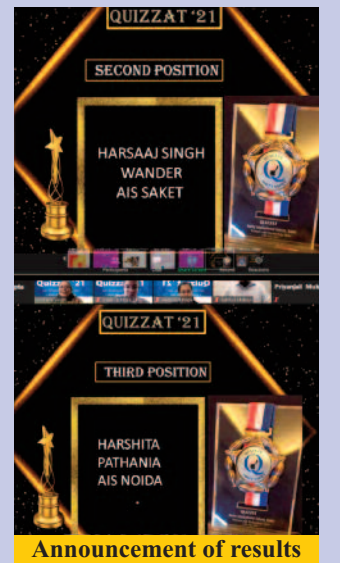
Quizzat 2021

Fun And Joy Of Quizzing

AIS Saket

School organised its 4th annual inter-school quiz competition 'Quizzat' virtually on August 9, 2021. The annual quiz event held under the visionary leadership of Dr (Mrs) Amita Chauhan, Chairperson, Amity Group of Schools and RBEF, had 25 eminent schools of India fight for the top spots.

The quiz began with elimination round comprising 20 questions from an array of fields like famous personalities, entertainment, science and technology, business, etc. Top eight qualifiers then battled it out in the final round which included questions with progressive clues, visual clues, audio video clues, and take your pick in which students chose their topic from a grid of 9 topics.



Announcement of results

Hansraj Singh from Class XII of AIS Saket won second position and Harshita Pathania from Class XII of AIS Noida secured third position. The quiz was conducted by quizmaster, Aditya Nath Mubayi.

Attitude of gratitude

Thanking God For Beautiful Gifts Of Life

AIS Gurugram 46

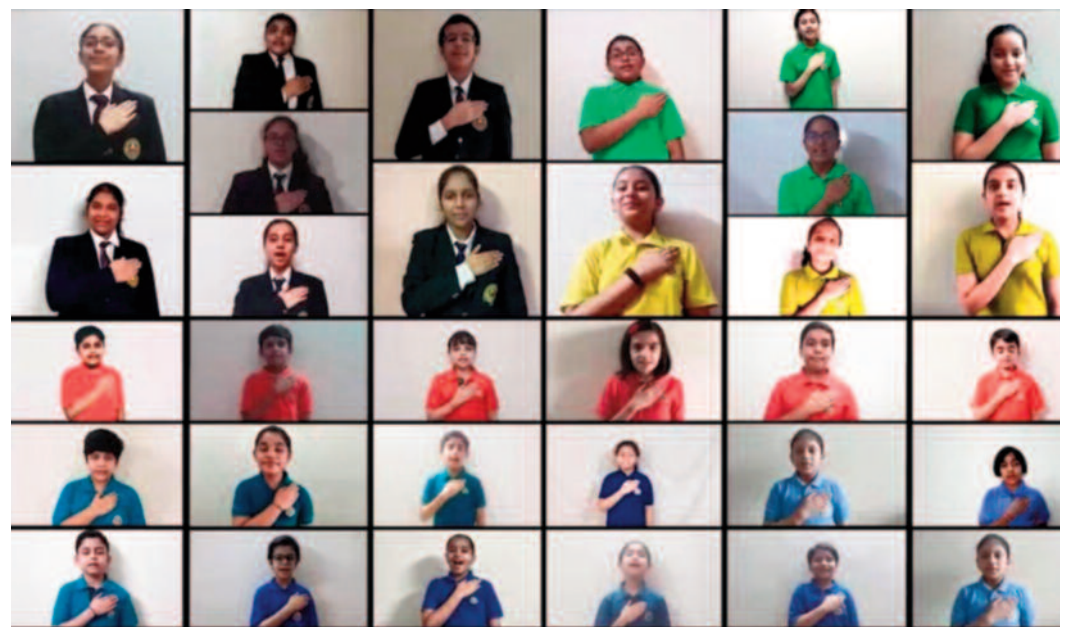
Students of Class I gave a virtual presentation, 'Grandir Avec Gratitude' (Growing with gratitude), on September 18, 2021. They expressed their heartfelt gratitude towards the incredible

contribution of Mother Earth, teachers, corona warriors, soldiers, sport persons, parents and God, etc., through their presentation. Children recited shlokas, sang songs dedicated to Mother Earth, and performed dances expressing their thanks to various people in their lives.

They also conducted simple experiments to pay tribute to the scientists and their great inventions and discoveries. School principal Arti Chopra in her address reiterated that the highest appreciation is not to utter the words of gratitude, but to live by them.



Tiny tots of Amity express their heartfelt thanks to nature and humanity



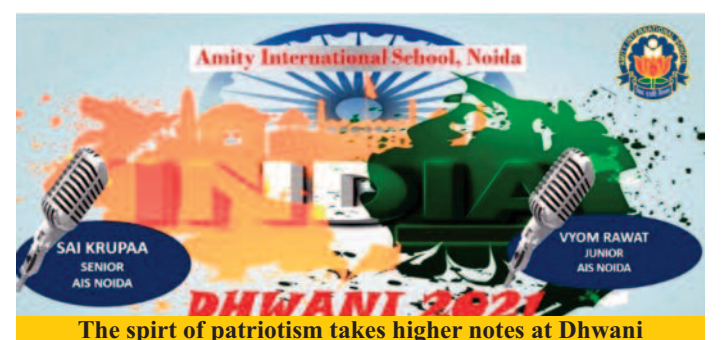
Amitians sing school song at the first ever patriotic song competition 'Dhwani'

Dhwani: a musical saga

Patriotic Fervour Reigns At Amity Noida

AIS Noida

School organised its 24th and first ever inter-school patriotic solo song competition 'Dhwani', on August 20, 2021 virtually. The unique musical event envisioned by Dr (Mrs) Amita Chauhan, Chairperson, Amity Group of Schools and RBEF, seeks to promote intangible aspects of Indian Cultural Heritage and saw participation from 28 eminent schools of Delhi/NCR. The event held in two categories junior (VI-VIII) and senior (IX-XII), commenced with the traditional lamp lighting amidst the chanting of *gayatri mantra*. The finale had eight best participants from each category vying for the coveted winner spot. In junior category, Dharaa



The spirit of patriotism takes higher notes at Dhwani

Khare from Class VII of AIS Mayur Vihar won first position while Adhyatm Pandey from Class VI of AIS VYC Lucknow won consolation prize.

In senior category, Aastha Pushp Vihar won second position and Srusti Mishra from From Class VI of AIS Gurugram 46 bagged third position. Sai

Kruppa from Class XII and Vyom Rawat from Class VIII of AIS Noida mesmerised the audience with their singing. The event was judged by famous flute artist, Pandit Sunder Lal Gandharv and Pallavi Tripathy, a school alumnus. Music and patriotism blended beautifully at the event to invigorate the feeling of respect for our nation.

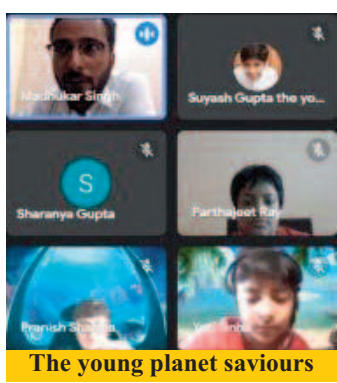
Save water

Ways To Conserve Water

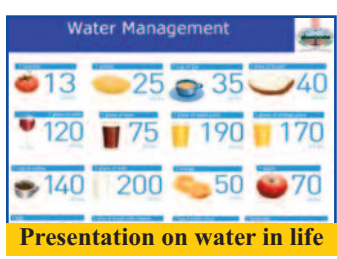
AIS Noida

School in collaboration with Central Ground Water Board, Northern Region, Lucknow, organised a public interaction programme for creating environmental awareness on October 2, 2021. The event organised as a part of *Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav* was attended by 100 students from

Class VI-VIII. The young minds discussed various aspects of environment conservation. The interaction included discussion on water crisis, availability of groundwater resources, groundwater quality in Noida, groundwater management and National Aquifer Mapping. The students also discussed modern techniques for groundwater conservation and purification.



The young planet saviours



Presentation on water in life